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Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action May 19, 2005, which set a three month time period to respond, thereby extending the time to respond through to, and including November 20, 2005 (November 19, 2005 being a Saturday), the date of this mailing. Applicant includes herewith the proscribed Small Entity fee of \$510.00, pursuant to 1253/2253, 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3), by credit card. Form PTO-2038 (completed) is attached.

INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005, applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be reconsidered and allowed in view of the remarks which follow

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and the File History of this case indicating allowable subject matter in the Office Action dated April 16, 2003 pending redrafting (which occurred) in independent format.

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¹Since there are no amendments to the claims, it appears unnecessary to re-include the same which are, instead, incorporated by reference. Persuasive arguments, are, respectfully presented traversing the “new” rejections.